

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Appln. No: 10/563,659  
Applicant: Peter Schwind et al.  
Filed: February 20, 2007  
Title: DEVICE AND METHOD FOR SIMULTANEOUSLY IDENTIFYING BLOOD GROUP  
ANTIGENS  
TC/A.U.: 1641  
Examiner: Bao Thuy L. Nguyen  
Confirmation No.: 5376  
Docket No.: BPD-102US

**SMALL ENTITY STATUS UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.27**

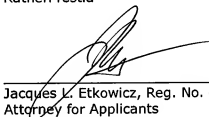
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Sir:

The Assignee of the above-identified application, Medion Diagnostics AG, qualifies for small entity status under 35 U.S.C. § 1.27. Accordingly, applicants respectfully request that this change of entity status be entered into the USPTO record.

Respectfully submitted,

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